

Tight Lines 2017

Our Venues

Woodfields Lake

Preston Bissett

Open all year - Members Only

River Fisheries

Open 16 June 2017 to 14 March 2018

Members & Day Ticket holders

Great Ouse

Moreton Mill to beyond Twin Point

The Twins - Maids Moreton Poor Charity Field

Dick Walkers - Downstream Thornton Bridge

Leckhampstead Bridge (Straight and Horses Field)

River Twin (Padbury Brook)

Roman Bridge

The Coombs

Lenborough

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News

The car park at Hyde Lane will continue to be available for access to the river. However you need to purchase a key (cost £15) available from Nick Mullis on 07762 822499. This is refundable when key is handed back.

Byelaw B2 has been changed. Fishing for river Pike now aligns with course fishing season 16 June to 14 March.

Remember the use of "live bait" is no longer allowed at Woodfields.

Please note match fees for Junior Matches have been increased to £1 per entrant.

Junior Taster sessions may be held at Woodfields during May and June. Please see Noticeboard prior to fishing.

We recommend members use pegs 10 to 30 when these sessions are held to avoid being disturbed.

OAP Match Series—has been changed and now called "Seniors Match Series" - Now open to anyone who has nothing better to do on a Friday morning.

Opening Season - Club Day

The club's annual BBQ will be held at Woodfields on Saturday 10 June.

Junior Open Match Draw - 1.30pm

Fishing 2pm to 4.30pm

Entry Fee £1

BBQ at 5.00pm.

All members and their families are welcome!

For details on all club events, matches, taster sessions or structured coaching requirements contact:-

Simon Bumstead on 07767 663928 or email info@bdaafishing.org.uk



CHAIRMAN'S UPDATE

The highlight moment from our recent AGM was the presentation of an engraved tankard to Bernard Lewis who, after 50 Years' service on the committee has decided 50 years is enough. Bernard has been the backbone of the club for a long time and was instrumental in the acquisition and development of Woodfields. This very act ensures the BDAA, founded in 1910, will have a lasting future.

Last year's membership level increased slightly so it is good news to announce that both venues and permit prices remain unchanged for 2017.

Going forward we plan to buy some new fish for Woodfields later this year. To guide us we have included in this year's membership renewal form the opportunity for members to indicate which species they would like us to buy. Even if you do not renew by post please let us know your preferences. On the coaching side the Upper Ouse Angling Club (UOAC) had a very suc-

cessful 2016. Over 100 youngsters attended a "taster" session with eight juniors attending the Structured Coaching sessions and attaining the Angling Trust level 1 Cast Award. The BDAA will continue to work with the UOAC to deliver coaching in the Upper Ouse catchment area. Last year, I stepped in to the UOAC chairman's role though I glad to announce that Mark Murfet has now taken on this role for 2017.

Again, there is a full programme of fixtures and events for 2017 (overleaf). The programme includes the usual series of matches, The Alan Bedward Memorial, the Seniors (formerly OAP), the Junior Programme plus a new series, "The Stan Smith Memorial Series" which will be held on Saturdays, late afternoon, through the summer. This will be a float only match.

Also, I am afraid I have to report that four long standing friends of the club have recently passed away. Roy Fenables was a first-class pike angler

dedicated to the sport and Tony Miles, famous for his books on fishing the Great Ouse, were both fondly remembered at our recent AGM. Also remembered are Gordon Knibbs and Ray White who were both regulars at our matches in the past. Our condolences and thoughts go out to their families and friends.

I would like to thank the committee, those that helped at last year's BBQ, and the team that maintains Woodfields for all their hard work. Also I would like to thank Steve Cory, who recently stood down from the committee after serving for three years. The club does have some vacancies on the committee so if you have some spare time and want to put something back into the club please come and join us.

Finally I thank you for your on-going support of the club and look forward to seeing you at one of the many events we are holding or perhaps even on the river bank. *Barry Smith*

Parking at Woodfields

Can all members please ensure that they and any guests park only in the parking area.

Please do not block any of the access gates.

Coaching Events

If you are interested in arranging coaching sessions for any youth group or school party you are involved with or if wish to become a Licensed Angling Coach then contact: Simon Bumstead contact details above.

BDAA Fixture List and UOAC events for 2017-2018

Date	Draw	Venue	Event / Match	Time	Notes (for * see note below)
Sat 3 Jun	12.30	Woodfields	Jamie Ballinger Memorial Trophy	13.30 to 18.30	Open Match - Organiser - Neil Stopps Pegs 1 to 25*
Sat 10 Jun	13.00	Woodfields	BDAA Junior Open & Opening Season BBQ Plus Upper Ouse Angling Club Awards	14.00 to 16.30 BBQ - 17.00	BDAA Junior Open Match - Draw 13.00
Wed 14 Jun	18.00	Woodfields	Alan Bedward Memorial #1	18.30 to 21.30	Pegs 1 to 25*
Sat 17 Jun		St James Lake	UOAC Structured Coaching Event #1 Brackley Junior Match (Draw 12.15)	9.30 to 12.00 13.00 to 16.00	Coaching Event followed by Junior Match Match is for UOAC and Brackley Junior Members Only
Wed 21 Jun	18.00	Woodfields	Alan Bedward Memorial #2 + KO	18.30 to 21.30	Pegs 1 to 25*
Fri 23 Jun	09.00	Woodfields	Seniors Series #1	10.00 to 14.00	Pegs 21 to 38*
Sat 24 Jun	15.30	Woodfields	Stan Smith Memorial #1	16.30 to 20.30	Float Only Match —Pegs 1 to 20*
Sun 25 Jun	7.00	Itters Pit	BDAA v Calvert	8.00 to 13.00	
Wed 28 Jun	18.00	Woodfields	Alan Bedward Memorial #3 + KO	18.30 to 21.30	Pegs 1 to 25*
Sat 1 Jul		Woodfields	UOAC Structured Coaching Event #2 J Roberts Junior Open Match (Draw 12.15)	9.30 to 12.00 13.00 to 16.00	Coaching Event followed by Junior Match BDAA Open Junior Match—Pegs 1 to 8 and 31 to 39*
Wed 5 Jul	18.00	Woodfields	Alan Bedward Memorial #4 + KO	18.30 to 21.30	Pegs 1 to 25*
Fri 7 Jul	09.00	Woodfields	Seniors Series #2	10.00 to 14.00	Pegs 21 to 38*
Sat 8 Jul	15.30	Woodfields	Stan Smith Memorial #2	16.30 to 20.30	Float Only Match —Pegs 1 to 20*
Wed 12 Jul	18.00	Woodfields	Alan Bedward Memorial #5 + KO	18.30 to 21.30	Pegs 1 to 25*
Sat 15 Jul		Woodfields	UOAC Structured Coaching Event #3 F H Taylor Shield Junior Open (Draw 12.15)	9.30 to 12.00 13.00 to 16.00	Coaching Event followed by Junior Match BDAA Open Junior Match—Pegs 1 to 8 and 31 to 39*
Wed 19 Jul	18.00	Woodfields	Alan Bedward Memorial #6	18.30 to 21.30	Pegs 1 to 25*
Fri 21 Jul	09.00	Woodfields	Seniors Series #3	10.00 to 14.00	Pegs 21 to 38*
Sat 22 Jul		St James Lake	UOAC Structured Coaching Event #4 UOAC Senior / Junior Match (Draw 12.15)	9.30 to 12.00 13.00 to 16.00	Coaching Event followed by Junior Match
Sat 29 Jul	15.30	Woodfields	Stan Smith Memorial #3	16.30 to 20.30	Float Only Match —Pegs 1 to 20*
Sat 12 Aug		St James Lake	UOAC Structured Coaching Event #5 UOAC Junior Championship (Draw 12.15)	9.30 to 12.00 13.00 to 16.00	Coaching Event followed by Junior Match
Sun 13 Aug	07.00	Itters Pit	BDAA V Calvert	08.00 to 13.00	
Sat 19 Aug	15.30	Woodfields	Stan Smith Memorial #4	16.30 to 20.30	Float Only Match —Pegs 1 to 20*
Sun 20 Aug	07.00	Woodfields	BDAA v Calvert	0800 to 13.00	Pegs 21 to 38*
Sat 2 Sep		Woodfields	UOAC Structured Coaching Event #6 T.V.P. Cup Junior Open Match (Draw 12.15)	9.30 to 12.00 13.00 to 16.00	Coaching Event followed by Junior Match BDAA Open Junior Match—Pegs 1 to 8 and 31 to 39*
Sat 9 Sep	15.30	Woodfields	Stan Smith Memorial #5	16.30 to 20.30	Float Only Match —Pegs 1 to 20*
Sat 7 Oct	12.00	Woodfields	Xmas Match F. Bowles Memorial Junior Open	12.30 to 15.30	Pegs 1 to 8 and 31 to 39*
Sat 14 Oct	11.45	River Ouse	Mugs Mug—Provisional Date	13.00 to 17.00	Committee Invitation Match
Sun 15 Oct	08.00	Woodfields	BDAA v Calvert	09.00 to 13.00	Pegs 21 to 38*

**Note :- * For matches at Woodfields any changes to match pegs will be posted on the Notice Board at least 24 hours before the match.
Do not fish these pegs three hours before the draw.**

For all BDAA Junior Open Matches there will be a £1 entrance fee for each participant.

Membership Renewal - Due 1st June 2017

Three ways to obtain a permit:

1. By post, application and remittance (cheque made payable to BDAA) to:-

BDAA Membership Secretary
10 Moreton Drive, Buckingham, MK18 1JQ

2. By Paypal –simply send an email to

membership@bdaafishing.org.uk

Please specify your name, address and the membership level required and we will send you an invoice via email with a link for you to pay.

3. Visit one of the following shops from 14 May 2017

Tingewick Post Office - Tingewick
JK Tackle - Bicester
Jakeman Sports - Aylesbury
Costcutter Store (formerly Londis) - Buckingham
Gone Fishin - Wolverton
Fishing Republic - Stacey Bushes

Membership Tariffs 2017/18

Adult Permit	£42
Concession	£25
Junior (16 and under)	£10

Concessions - Senior Citizen(65+), Disabled and Intermediate (17-18 years inclusive).

Remember an adult member may take up to two children, under the age of 12 fishing free of charge.

Day tickets are available for our river venues.

These must be purchased in advance.

£6 Adult	£3 Child
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Day Tickets are no longer available for Woodfields.

Guest Tickets, when fishing with a member, are available for Woodfields however these must be purchased in advance. These are available from committee members or via email application utilising Paypay—to purchase simply email

membership@bdaafishing.org.uk

Cost Adult £6 and Child £3.